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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims		Extra Claims		Fee (\$)		Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
82	- 20 or HP =	4	x	50.00	=	200.00	Fee (\$)
							Fee Paid (\$)

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Indep. Claims		Extra Claims		Fee (\$)		Fee Paid (\$)
	- 3 or HP =		x		=	

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**4. OTHER FEES Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)	
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